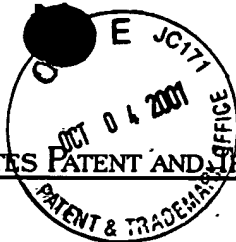




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3. ☐ Drawings, sheets (Figs. )
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5. ☒ Applicant claims small entity status.

Priority is claimed for this application, corresponding application/s having been filed as follows:

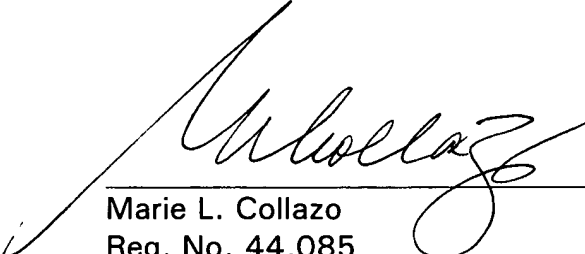
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